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## NEWS OF THE VICINAGE.

Dr. J. A. Amm has been appointed pension examiner at Lancaster.

Sallie Martin, colored, died at Rich-mund from eating wild greens.

Mrs Cetta McElroy, a lovely Lebanon lady, died of nervous prostration.

Judge Sim Hicks' residence in South Somerset was damaged \$1,200 worth by fire.

C. D. Haugh got the contract for carrying the mail between Harrodsburg and Iurgin.

A dozen girls will contest for the oratorical prize in the Somerset school Friday night.

G. W. Ferryman is trying to build a Baptist church at Harbourville and is meeting with success.

Clay county's assessment is about the only one that the board of equalization did not raise.

The Kentucky Intercollegiate Oratorical Association will hold its 6th annual contest Friday night, April 7, at Lexington.

John C. Davis, a Mercer county farmer, committed suicide by shooting. Grip had unbalanced his mind. He was 60 and had a wife and children.

Joel W. Salter, one of the oldest citizens of Somerset and far three score years a Baptist, died last week. He was also the oldest Mason in Franklin.

Mrs. Mattie May Yeager, wife of Fred Yeager, Jr., died suddenly at 5 o'clock this morning, at the home of her father, James Adams, near Camp Dick Robinson.—Advocate, 3d.

Isaac Gibson, who died at his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Smith's, in Lexington, and was brought to this county for burial, ran a mill near Millidgeville for half a century. He was 95 years old.

The Progressive Home Journal says that R. G. Hall has established a kennel at Somerset to be known as the "Somerset English Setter Kennel." He has some of the finest dogs in the country in the stud.

G. A. W., Kingeville, wrote to the Cincinnati Enquirer asking how he could sell a few carloads of dogwood for loom shuttles and other hard wood articles and got the answer "try advertising in the Enquirer."

W. R. Burnside, of Franklin county placed a gun in his granary so as to be discharged at any one who might open the doors. His eldest son forgot and opened the door, firing the gun, the load taking effect in his thigh. He lingered four or five days and died.

At the annual intercollegiate debate at Lexington between Centre College and the State College, the representatives of Centre College were awarded the decision, Nat Lafon, of Harrodsburg, and Herbert Stronner, of Louisville. The young gentlemen who represented State College were L. Haudley, of Rome, and C. D. Lewis, of Evansville.

## CHURCHES AND PREACHERS.

Mormon proselyters have been driven out of Lewis county.

There will be 18 graduates in the Bible College this session.

Rev. W. F. Vaughan, D. D., of Paris, will preach the baccalaureate sermon for Millersburg Female College Sunday, May 28.

Secretaries of various home missionary societies held a meeting at New York and took steps to extend the work in Cuba and Porto Rico.

The Christian Science people have erected a handsome and imposing temple at Atlanta and it was dedicated Sunday. It is built of Georgia granite.

Rev. H. N. Faulconer, who was here yesterday, tells us he closed a meeting last week at Pittsburgh with four additions and has engagements for the following places: ten days each in the ordernamed: Harbourville, North Jeffers, Greensburg, New Castle and Kittanning.

The new Baptist Year Book is out showing the number of baptisms for the past year in the United States was 203,296. Total number of members 4,111,995. Total contributions \$1,027,557.12. Georgia reports the largest number of baptisms—24,992. New York reports the largest amount contributed—\$1,022,897.68.

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LUNGS IRRITATION. In the forenoon due to consumption, Dr. Dell's Pine-Tar Ointment will cure it, and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or a cold will not settle there. Twenty-five cents at Peony's Drug Store.

## LANCASTER.

The reception at the Christian church was well attended and a season of sincere fellowship and christian love was experienced. About 75 members were present, notwithstanding the inclement weather.

George A. McRoberts, of your city, was a guest of his brother, B. E. McRoberts, on Sunday. Mr. W. O. Bigney went to Cincinnati on business last Friday. Lt. John M. Farra has an attack of the grip, and has not been out for several days.

The handsome bouquets thrown at me by the press, and the promises of support by leading men of the county, have caused me to consider the race for the Legislature more seriously than I have before. Such appeals are highly appreciated and will be duly considered.

Senator G. T. Parrish came home from Louisville to attend the county convention. Mr. E. P. Moritz, of St. Louis, will meet with our city council tonight, (Monday), to attempt to get a franchise to put in water works. It is reported that a majority of the board are favorable to the move.

The Schubert Symphony Club, of Chicago, drew a large audience to the court-house on Saturday night, the receipts being about \$80. Those who know say that the music was excellent, and the appearance and conduct of the troupe, during their stay here, until Sunday night, indicated that they are worthy of the liberal patronage which they receive.

Our Commercial Club expects to succeed in having the Louisville Southern railway extended through this county, and on to the coal and lumber fields of Southeastern Kentucky. The last and one of the best moves in that direction was to get Gov. Bradley to consent to visit the officials of the road and present the case in its proper light. Many of our farmers are willing to give the right of way, and the indications point toward the extension, in a short time. The people realize the importance of such an enterprise and they are willing to lend a helping hand.

The Easter music at the Christian church on Sunday was soul-inspiring in sentiment, artistically rendered and the use of the organ caused much warmth to pervade the large congregation. The sermon by Elder C. E. Powell, on the resurrection of Christ, was an able one, and the arguments in proof of this fundamental principle of the Christian faith, were calculated to dissipate besetting doubts and strengthen us in the cause. A protracted meeting will begin at that church on the 2d Sunday in May, Elder E. L. Powell, an eminent minister of Louisville, having agreed to assist the pastor.

It is safe to say that our convention to be held today, Monday, will instruct the delegation to vote for Pilcher for railroad commissioner, and that the delegates will be favorable to McChord if Pilcher is dropped. One thing certain—no candidate for governor will handle the delegation as he pleases, unless it pleases them. In the town precinct meetings held Saturday, the following delegates were appointed to the county convention: West Park, H. Tilley; East Park, Henry Patterson; Court-house, G. T. Parrish. T. H. Robinson was first selected at the courthouse, but when it was ascertained that he did not live in the precinct, another meeting was held.

## OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

Near Admiral Carpenter, retired, committed suicide at Boston.

The First Indians went to Cuba with 1,195 men and returned with 1,195.

A 10 inch gun burst at the Sandy Hook proving grounds, killing one man and injuring another.

The war department is perfecting a plan to use native troops, if possible, in fighting Aguilado during the rainy season.

Gen. Otis sends rosy reports from the Philippines, which indicate that the bottom has completely fallen out of the insurrection.

The Kansas volunteers were first into Maiolos, and the flag of a Montana regiment was the first bit of American bunting hung out from the rebel capitol.

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Gen. McArthur took Maiolos with a loss of four killed and 23 wounded, but found on reaching there that the rebels had fired the town and Aguilado and his cabinet had been gone two days.

This shows the extent of their patrolling. More than 200 members of the 8th volunteer infantry (colored) will file pension claims for alleged disability due to the Cuban climate. No such complaints have been received from white regiments.

Leaving out the cases in which Judge Lynch takes a hand, murder is the safest crime a man can commit.

## MCCORD.

DELEGATES NAMED AND INSTRUCTED TO VOTE FOR HIM.

The delegates chosen by the democratic voters at the precinct meetings of Lincoln county, April 1, met at the court-house in Stanford at 2 P. M., April 3, and organized by electing Judge J. E. Wright, chairman, and T. M. Goodknight, secretary. The following were shown to be delegates duly authorized:

Stanford No. 1, B. W. Givens; 2, T. M. Goodknight; 3, T. D. Newland; 4, A. C. Dunn.

Houstonville No. 1, J. E. Wright; 2, M. F. North; 3, Judge J. E. Wright.

Waynesburg No. 1, J. M. Reynolds and S. H. Goode; 2, W. L. McCarty; 3, J. H. Carter.

Crab Orchard No. 1, W. D. Wallin; 2, Otto P. Newland.

M. F. North, B. W. Givens and T. D. Newland were appointed a committee on resolutions. They reported the following, which were adopted without dissent:

1. That we approve of the call of this convention by the authorities of the democratic party.

2. That this convention does hereby appoint and commission to represent the democracy of Lincoln county and cast the vote of said county at the convention called to be held at Frankfort, April 6, to nominate a candidate of the democratic party for commissioner of the 2d railroad commissioners district of Kentucky to be voted for at the November election, 1899, viz: Robert L. Hosley, T. M. Goodknight, J. M. Alvernon, M. F. North, S. M. Owens, J. S. Owsley, Jr., George Pollard and J. H. Carter, and the following are appointed as alternates: W. E. Perkins, Geo. H. Weatherford, C. C. Crutchfield, Geo. L. Carter, Robert H. Crow, J. M. Reynolds, Jesse Carter and T. L. Shelton.

3. That in accordance with our instructions at the precinct meetings these delegates are instructed to vote for C. C. McCord as the nominee of said Frankfort convention for 2d district railroad commissioner and use all honorable means to secure his nomination and delegates are instructed to vote as a unit on all questions coming before said convention.

On motion the convention adjourned.

J. E. WRIGHT, CHM'R.

T. M. GOODKNIGHT, SECY.

Rear Admiral Kautz's official report of the bombardment at Samoa says the Matao people obeyed orders to leave the government reservation, but have since become aggressive, killing an American marine and three British sailors. The German consul issued an incendiary proclamation saying Kautz's proclamation was untrue, and promising to uphold the so-called provisional government. The American and British forces are shelling the rebels wherever they can be reached.

## RHEUMATISM CURED.

My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Salve for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use, for which we have found it valuable.—W. J. Cuyler, Red Creek, N. Y. Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.—W. G. Philp, Editor Red Creek Herald. For sale by Craig & Hoekker, druggists.

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W. P. WALTON.

**SENATOR McCORD** has doubtless received a sufficient number of votes to nominate him for railroad commissioner, which shows that he has a pretty long head on him and can see as far into a mill stone at least as the man that picks it. Four years ago when he was defeated for the nomination, after holding the office under appointment of Gov. Brown, he began to commune with himself and to lay schemes for a capture of the nomination this time. Then it bethought him to run for the Senate and then, if elected, to evolve from his inner consciousness a bill which might hamper the railroads which opposed him, and at the same time pander to the blind, unreasoning opposition by the masses to railroad corporations, while two-for-a-cent lawyers and other small fry delight to tell them, are greedy and rapacious aggregations of wealth, whose managers stay awake at nights to hatch plans to viscerate them. Senator McCord was successful both in his race and in passing a bill for the railroad commission to fix maximum rates for railroads and was further singularly fortunate in having a republican governor veto it. The several other so-called candidates were never in the race except Mr. Alexander, who was handepped by the reported support of the L. & N., which according to the ignorant and unthinking stalks about at night like a roaring lion seeking whom it may devour. The result was easy to foretell. Mr. McCord has read his title clear and on Thursday next at Frankfort will be made his party's standard bearer. He is fully worthy too of the honor, being a man of parts and an unflinching and uncompromising democrat and a party man. His nomination is a decided victory for Senator Goebel and the convention will doubtless endorse all the measures that the Hopkinsville convention failed to take cognizance of.

The whole of Gen. Hardin's Shelbyville speech was in answer to Capt. Stone's Winchester speech and he attempted to prove by the Congressional Record that Capt. Stone did upon two occasions, on Feb. 5, 1895, vote for the Springer bill to issue gold bonds, and when it was defeated by Bryan, Bland and Bailey, and a joint resolution followed on Feb. 11, 1895, to issue \$65,116,275 of gold bonds, voted again for this resolution, which was also defeated. He also denied emphatically the reports and rumors in current circulation that he ever, directly or indirectly, or by inference, proposed or offered to aid Mr. Stone on any condition, either in a contest with Jo Blackburn, or at any time with anyone else in such contest. This brings the question to one of veracity between them and as Capt. Stone's whole life is a refutation of the charge that he will lie or permit any one to say that he does, a sensational response is expected.

GOEBEL went for Hardin at Madisonville Saturday for calling his pet schemes "diversions" and subversive of the great issue of 16 to 1 and poured some hot shot into him. Hardin would pose as a martyr, but Goebel says its meaning will have to be changed if he can safely do so. Said he: "Who raised the false issues and attempted the diversions in 1895, the candidate or the democracy of Kentucky? It has been the common understanding that a martyr was one who suffered for a cause, and not one who made a cause suffer for him. Possibly the definition ought to be revised." The woods are full of people who think that Hardin made the cause suffer for him by waiting so long to define his position and then accepting a nomination on a platform he didn't even stand with one foot.

THE resignation of Gus Richardson as deputy appellate clerk to prosecute his candidacy for State treasurer shows much more confidence than wisdom. As Bob Ford seems to have a cinch on the nomination, Gus' action is explicable only on the assumption of every candidate that he is the whole thing in a race. The confidence of candidates in their own success even when everybody else can see that they do not stand a ghost of a chance his ways puzzled the uninitiated in the business of running for office.

A DISPATCH from Frankfort says that "during his stay there the 'good gray governor,' as Worthington is called, dispensed merrily with a lavish hand." Is there any use of courts and juries going to the trouble and expense to send law breakers to prison for a mush-hearted executive to turn loose upon the unoffending public almost as soon as they are convicted? The lieutenant governor is evidently trying to cope with old Gov. Blackburn, whose administration is remembered only for his wholesale abuse of the pardoning power.

THE Cincinnati scheme to change the course of the Ohio river so as to add the cities of Dayton, Bellevue, Newport, Covington and Ludlow to the Queen City, will doubtless be advocated by Hardin and Stone, provided it can be done before June.

JOHN D. WHITE contributes a letter to the Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune, in which he recommends Hon. John Bennett, of Madison, for the republican nomination for governor and lauds him most lavishly. He says the accidents of 1895 will not be repeated in 1899 and if Kentucky will prove herself a republican State she must do so on principle and not through a political boss and the fangs and feathers of the pie brigade. These must take a rear position in the ranks, with a sensible view of the gravity of the situation and throw the entire burden of nominating a strong and suitable State ticket (and railroad commissioners) upon the bone and sinew of the party. In that event John D. thinks he will be nominated for railroad commissioner, but under the present arrangement he has no more show than a short tail full in fly time.

McCORD seems to have gotten enough votes to nominate him on the first ballot for railroad commissioner. He has 158 instructed votes and enough in the doubtful counties to more than supply the eight required to give him the majority. Alexander claims 128, Pilcher 13 and Nelson 21. Garrard county instructed for Pilcher merely as a compliment to a district man, the delegation being really for McCord. Boyle sent an uninstructed delegation, but it is for McCord.

For this relief much thanks. The attorney general has decided that chain letters are a violation of the postal laws against lottery. Until we ceased to notice them this office received some times two a day of the nuisances and now that they are to be prohibited by law we send up a fervent "Amen."

THE Louisville Dispatch is now printed in its own establishment, with its own type and machinery, which would indicate that the paper is not as near its end as was confidently predicted by its enemies.

McCORD may protest and Goebel may deny that an umbilical cord exists between them, but they can't even look the marines. McCord's victory is really a Goebel victory as both will admit now.

EDITOR KNOTT reads us a lesson on journalistic ethics, but the devil is better prepared to expound the Scriptures than the Post man is to discourse on such a subject.

## POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

Gov. Bradley has returned, but his health is unimproved.

The democrats won at Cleveland, O., yesterday hands down.

M. H. Sledge was nominated for the Legislature in Warren.

The Richmond Pantograph gives it up. It speaks of him as Ex-Congressman Davison.

Junius Perkins, colored, is a candidate for the Legislature from the 10th ward, Louisville.

Judge Breckinridge spoke at Liberty yesterday, where he is mighty sold with the democrats.

Secretary Alger is in Cuba at the expense of the government, looking doubtless after its timber interest for his own benefit.

W. J. Seitz, who also ran for Congress in the 10th district, has received his reward. Collector Roberts has made him a division deputy.

When ex-President Cleveland was asked if he intended to attend the Belmont \$10 Jefferson Day dinner, he answered laconically, "I have not been invited."

Acting Assistant Attorney General Barrett has rendered two decisions for the post-office department declaring chain letter schemes to be in violation of the anti-lottery laws.

March 31 the debt less cash in the treasury amounted to \$1,140,505,563, which is a decrease during the month of \$8,398,528, accounted for by the net increase in the cash on hand.

Bank Examiner Easett may not resign after all and the 25 or 50 applicants for his place are likely all to get left. Controller Dawes says he is such an excellent officer that he would like to retain him permanently.

Just so. The Richmond Register says the fact that the Louisville Post has espoused Gen. Hardin's cause and is moving heaven and earth in his favor, is the most serious obstacle in the way of Mr. Hardin's nomination.

The three democrats in Delaware who voted for Addicks are preparing to emigrate. The democratic State committee has asked them to resign and they are in bad odor everywhere, a well-grounded suspicion prevailing that they got big money for their duplicity.

Collector Neat, ex-warden of the Frankfort penitentiary, who was appointed deputy collector over Maj. Dryo by Collector Sapp, has been removed and W. T. Hawkins, stamp deputy at Lebanon, given his place. No reasons are given, but politics is at the bottom of it.

The governor of Nebraska vetoed a bill commanding the bravery of the 1st regiment from that State because he could not give his official approval to the statement that the war of conquest now being carried on in the Philippines is in defense of the principles of our government, and is adding new glory to our flag. The Senate passed it over the veto, but the House couldn't.

The race between H. S. Irwin, of Lawrenceburg, and T. N. Edwards, of Lawrenceburg, for the republican nomina-

tion for railroad commissioner, which promised at the start to amount to only a slow jog, with all of the chances favoring Irwin, now seems destined to result in a whipping finish, which may be decided by a nose length either way.

In one of his after dinner speeches last week, Col. Bryan said: "The democratic party was never more harmonious; and its harmony can only be disturbed by admitting within the fold those who are at variance with its principles and aspirations. The democratic platform of 1900 will be written by those who stood upon the platform of 1896, not by those who tried to overthrow the democratic party in that campaign. The failure which attended those who organized the gold party and wrote the Indianapolis platform ought to restrain them from preferring their service as platform-makers for some years to come."

## BRIEF NEWS NOTATION.

Fayette sent 10 convicts to the penitentiary.

Atlanta is to have a new \$300,000 union station.

An inmate of the poorhouse at Piscataway, N. J., is 127 years old.

Spencer Long, a leading citizen of Georgetown, is dead, aged 61.

Three murderers, two white and one colored, were hanged at Troy, Ala.

An anarchist mistook a man for President Loubet, of France, and shot him dead.

Baroness Hirsh, widow of the great Hebrew philanthropist, is dead at Paris.

Mrs. Shackelford, mother of the clerk of the court of appeals, died at Owensboro at an advanced age.

James Reed was hung at Kansas City on the same scaffold his father was worked off a few years ago.

In a revenue raid in Letcher county five moonshine stills and many gallons of their product were destroyed.

John Hawkins, of Vevay, Ind., in jail for drunkenness, butted his brains out against the bars of his cell.

At Cave City, Will Whitney, a 17-year-old colored boy, was stabbed to death by George Farris, a white boy.

Albert Egg, of Louisville, died of cerebral hemorrhage caused by a tick on his head by a 10-year-old playmate.

The State of New Jersey received \$126,000 in fees on articles of incorporation filed during the month of March.

Up to date 41 dead bodies or remnants of them have been found in the Windsor Hotel ruins and 43 are still missing.

As much hearted as he is Gov. Worthington wouldn't help Bob Blanks, the Negro rapist, who is to hang in a few days at Mayfield.

The convict lease system in Georgia, which has been productive of so many scandals, has expired and the State will work them herself.

The great Sierra de Mercedo mountain of iron adjoining in Mexico has been purchased by C. F. Huntington for \$800,000 in gold.

A cigar factory is soon to be started in Shelbyville by Mr. Ben Brown, who for the past 10 months has been located in Louisville.

The English passenger steamer Stela was wrecked off the island of Alderney. The loss of life is estimated all the way from 70 to 120.

Driven to madness by jealousy, Tony Medley, aged 38, shot and instantly killed Stella Everett, his 14-year-old step-daughter, at Ozark, Ala.

The Confederate Veteran Association at Lexington re-elected President John Boyd and the other old officers. The receipts for the year were about \$1,900.

W. G. Deppe has been appointed assistant general passenger agent of the Big Four, with headquarters in Cincinnati, to succeed Warren G. Lynch, promoted.

Cpl. W. C. P. Breckinridge succeeded in hanging the jury in the insurance cases at Paris for alleged conspiracy to raise rates and he thinks this is a practical victory.

The cold winter, which caused a decrease in the consumption of beer, is given as the reason of the failure of the Schaefer-Meyer Brewing Co., of Louisville, for \$175,000.

Frank Wilson and his half-sister, who have been conducting a candy kitchen at Lebanon for several months, skipped by the light of the moon, leaving numerous creditors behind.

Miss Mary Wilson, a prominent young society woman of Augusta, Kas., committed suicide upon learning that Alva Dix, her lover, had been killed on the battle field of Malolos.

Gen. Gordon has selected Col. Bennett H. Young to deliver the memorial address at Charleston in May on the occasion of the dedication of a monument to Miss Winnie Davis.

Dr. Joe Maury, Jr., of Owingsville, Ky., was drowned while on his way from British Honduras to the United States with a cargo of sugar. Of nine persons on board the vessel seven lost their lives.

John D. Young, Jr., was convicted in the Monroe court of the killing of his cousin, Phiney Farset, at Owingsville, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. This is the third trial. The case will be appealed.

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A blizzard is prevailing in Kansas, Missouri and Iowa.

Mrs. Hugh Young, infuriated by an irritable husband, killed him with an ax at Moresburg, Tenn.

Allen Winston killed Robert Adams in Letcher because, as he alleged, he was too intimate with Winston's wife.

Fire broke out in the laundry department at the State prison at Frankfort and destroyed hundreds of suits of convicts' clothing, underclothing and bedding. A disastrous conflagration was averted by hard work.

At Lexington W. J. McNamara was fined \$250 for shooting and wounding a colored man. On the seven indictments tried the total of sentences against him is three years in the penitentiary, 25 days in jail and \$100 in fines.

The managers of one of the large Western railroads have decided to keep their engines constantly at work, instead of being retired to the roundhouse to rest for a half-day, or a whole day, as has so long been thought necessary.

The supreme court of Indiana has decided that an employee of a railroad company, in agreeing to accept benefits from a railroad relief association in case of injury, relinquishes his right to bring suit against the company for damages.

Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy, the Staten Island dentist, for the murder of "Dolly" Reynolds at the Grand Hotel in New York City on the night of Aug. 15, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and will sit in the electric chair in May.

Thousands of Filipinos, who fled from their homes in the territory between Manila and Malolos on the approach of the American army are now returning and suing for peace and this is taken to indicate that Aguinaldo is losing control of the natives.

A Connecticut judge fined a reporter of the New York Journal \$5 and sentenced him to jail for five days for publishing objectionable matter about a trial. As the judge's jurisdiction doesn't extend out of the State the reporter is safe, till he goes into it.

The Tinsley Engraving Company, composed of Messrs. E. B. Tinsley, Bruce Haldeman and E. C. Straus, has established in Louisville as complete a photo-engraving plant as can be found outside of New York and Chicago. Its offices are in the Courier-Journal building.

When Bates Soper's neck was broken at Harrisonville, Mo., Friday a friend came to his reward. He murdered his father, his wife and two daughters, married another woman and murdered a daughter he had by her by burying it alive. He met death like the brute he was.

Alex Dudley caught a man peeping through a window at the home of his father at Flemingsburg the other night, and promptly and very properly filled him full of birdshot. He turned out to be Conway Applegate, who had been at that sort of thing before. He was badly wounded about the legs, but will not die just yet.

Albert Hunter, a prisoner at Kokomo, Ind., finds himself a hard man to kill. He first made a rope with handkerchiefs and swung four hours, then cut an arm almost off and lied profusely and lastly tried to butt his brains out against the stone wall, but all in vain. He is guarded now but says he'll try again to kill himself the first opportunity.

MIDDLEBURG.

Eggs are so cheap here that they are not fit to eat.

W. C. Russell had a sow to give birth to 13 pigs.

Teamsters tell us that four horses are required to pull a two-horse load from here to McKinney and they sometimes stall at that.

A couple of Mormon preachers have been preaching at Grove and securing the country distributing tracts. Aside from their miserable teaching they seem to be pretty nice sort of fellows. C. W. Tombs, of the McKinney section, tells us that his father, Major D. Tombs, has lately bought of Bud Sims, his farm of 26 acres, on Green River, for \$600.

E. S. Fisher has sold his house and lot, about two acres, on the Hustonville pike, near the toll gate, to W. P. Thomas for \$200. Mr. Fisher has purchased the L. H. Royalty property here and has taken possession.

## TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Kentucky Houses of Reform at their office, No. 11 Cheapside, Lexington, Ky., until 12 o'clock noon, of the tenth day of April, 1899, for the following labor and materials, viz.: Temporary partitions in the manual training building, Cottage A complete, and Cottage No. 1 complete, including plumbing, heating and electric work in each. Plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Board and with J. B. Hodges in Lexington, Ky., and with Richards & McArthy, architects, Louisville, Ky.

The bids must be sealed, marked "Bids for Houses of Reform," addressed to the undersigned, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid as a guarantee that the contractor furnishing the same will enter into contract and furnish satisfactory bond for execution of the work.

W. P. WALTON, Secretary.

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E. C. WALTON, BUSINESS MANAGER.

We have a record of more than one thousand filled prescriptions. Don't you think that entitles us to your confidence? Penny's Drug Store.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Mrs. J. T. Jones has been quite sick.

HOLDAM SLAUGHTER, of Corbin, was here Sunday.

ROBERT L. MATTINGAY went to Louisville Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. DUNN will go to Louisville to live.

MISS EVA GOODHORN, of Waynesburg, is visiting Mrs. Garland Singleton.

Mr. G. C. SMITH and children, of Flat Lick, are visiting Mrs. Annie McClary.

JAMES M. THOMPSON, of East Herrin-  
stadt, was here to see Judge Alcorn Saturday.

WHILE J. Nevin Carter is sick in the country, his brother, Ernest Carter, is helping in the store.

MRS. ELIJAH HENWITT and children went to Lexington Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. L. E. Faris.

MR. HARTWELL PUCKETT, of Shelby, is helping the Severance Bros. while A. H. Severance is away.

MRS. P. A. CROWDUS, another of Mrs. H. C. Rupley, is barely alive this morning and sinking rapidly.

MISS ELIZABETH PENNINGTON returned Saturday from a visit to her parents in Middlesboro. Lexington Leader.

Mrs. W. H. SHANKS left yesterday for Annapolis, Md., to visit her sister, the wife of L. A. Carlo Hittman, of the navy, who is very ill.

THE Progressive Home Journal says that Miss Jessie Hart and John M. Hale entertained at progressive eucharist at the social club at Somerset a few evenings since.

MRS. SANFORD M. ALLEN, of Millersburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Woods.

MRS. GINGER has moved her dressmaking business from her home to one of the up stairs rooms in the Empire block.

Mrs. E. J. BROWN is moving his family to his property recently purchased of W. E. Varnop. The latter has rented Mrs. A. E. Phillips' place on the Danville pike. Mrs. Phillips will move to Monticello.

THE Blue Grass Special has a worthy successor to Capt. Ben McGraw. Conductor W. J. Dinten, one of the choicerest men on the C. S., has been given permanent charge of it. The run is the longest on the road.

JOHN H. GENTRY late of the 4th Ky., was the man accepted from a list of 20 applicants for a position as linemaster for the Crab Orchard, Stanford and Mt. Vernon Telephone Co. His headquarters will be at Crab Orchard.—*MT. Vernon Signal.*

WILLIAM FIELDS will move from his farm on the Somerset pike this week to Livingston and take charge of the Little Gables Hotel, which Mr. H. W. Gile has run so successfully. It is with general regret that his neighbors give him and his excellent wife up.

MR. AND MRS. S. D. YOWELL leave tomorrow for Elkhorn, where Mr. Yowell will take charge of the new Louisville Store. Our people dislike to have the excellent young couple leave and commend them heartily to the good people of their new home.

MESMAMES M. S. HAUGHMAN and J. W. Haughman attended a tea given by Mrs. Ben Bright, of Boyle, Friday. Nearly 150 ladies were present and the luncheon, they tell us, was a gem of culinary art. The colors were pink, green and white and the table decorations were beautiful indeed.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

FAIR tonight and Wednesday warm-  
er.

ARROW posts, 10 feet long, at A. C. Sime's.

HAY, 30 to 40¢ per hundred. J. H. Haughman & Co.

TWO residences on Main Street for sale. Apply at this office.

A NICE five-room cottage for sale very cheap. Call on J. S. Hughes.

BUSTONVILLE.—A car load of lime and cement on hand and for sale. W. C. Greening.

DROWNED.—Fred Petree, who was subject to fits, was found dead in Hurricane Creek, near Waynesburg, Sunday. As his body was in shallow water it is supposed that he must have fallen face forward in it and died before he could recover himself.

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NORTHERN seed potatoes at Beazley & Carter's.

STORE room on Main Street for rent. W. P. Walton.

FINE handsome silks and crepons go to John P. Jones.

JEWELRY neatly repaired. Engrav-  
ing specialty. Dalton.

WE show hay, millet and straw in abundance. J. H. Haughman & Co.

GO to J. T. Jones for a Star Anchor Range or your old stoves repaired.

TWENTY-FIVE patterns of fine black crepons to select from at Severance & Sons'.

WE show the largest assortment of dress linings, feather bones, &c. John P. Jones.

WHEN you need your watch or clock satisfactorily repaired take it to Dalton, Main St., Stanford.

HAVE your dress fitted over a Royal Worcester corset. We have them in all styles. John P. Jones.

COOK.—Wanted, a first class cook at the Vendome Hotel, Hustonville. Apply at once to Mrs. I. F. Steele.

THE College entertainment Thursday night promises to be novel and interesting. Secure a ticket at McRoberts' drug store for 25¢.

PENALTY.—Arim and George Petrey were fined \$25 each and costs in Squire Singleton's court at Kingsville Saturday for breach of peace.

\$2,000. Agent R. B. Mahony has received a draft for \$2,000, amount of policy held by the late Robert Harnett in the Mutual Benefit, of Newark New Jersey.

THE very excellent program of Miss Heath's recital appears in this issue. Head it and decide at once to hear it at Walton's Opera House on the night of the 11th.

W. L. McCARTY, the Kingsville engineer, told us yesterday that he had already contracted for 240 acres of tomatoes, 25 of beans and 30 of sweet potatoes.

DR. J. W. BRYANT has invented a hog choker, which promises to make his proprietors, Craig & Hocker, wealthy. A number of farmers have used it on their hogs with splendid results.

WILL WATERS, of Boyle, was here Saturday to get a photograph of Judge Napier's picture, which hangs in the court house from which to make a painting for Col. A. E. Logan, who was a candidate of the dead judge.

THERE was little or no interest here in the railroad commissioner conventions. Hardly sufficient number was present at some of them to have a chairman and secretary and then have anybody to put the questions to.

THE trial of the damage suit against the Crab Orchard & Danville pike, by J. J. Moore, for \$25,000 damages for the killing of his daughter, will be called at Liberty this week. In a former trial he got a verdict for \$17,000.

FRIENDS of Capt. Stone, candidate for governor, are anxious for him to speak here. A number have authorized their names to be signed to a petition asking him to come, if anybody would take the trouble to circulate it.

IT was a bright but a very chilly Easter, recalling Emmett Logan's suggestion a few days ago that the milliners ought to advertise a hot brick with each hat sold. Very few hats were seen Sunday and the ones who appeared wearing them were the observed of all the observers.

HOMER WRAY, manager of the telephone, who sleeps in the exchange, lost his underclothes by fire Saturday night. He took a bath before retiring and left them on a platform near the stove. When he awoke the room was full of smoke and he was nearly suffocated. How the clothing caught fire is a mystery, as it is almost impossible for sparks to get out of the stove.

THE Little Mission Band of the Christian church had a very large crowd at their egg hunt Saturday afternoon, realizing at 10¢ admission \$19.40. Nice refreshments were served and the little ones had a royal time. Robert Saufey found the greatest number of eggs—13, and got first prize. Longfellow's poems. Clara Cooper and Leo Hayden tied for second prize, finding 12 each, and Miss Cooper won on the tie and got a nice calendar.

DR. J. G. CARPENTER is back from St. Louis, where he went to deliver a course of lectures to the students of the Barnes Medical College, which was founded by Dr. A. M. Carpenter, a grand-son of George Statton Carpenter, and a native of this county. The College is the largest west of the Mississippi and the 5th in size in America. It has 622 pupils, 35 of whom are from Kentucky. Another Carpenter, James M., a brother of Dr. A. M., is in the real estate business and is now a millionaire. Our Dr. Carpenter has a standing offer of a chair either in midwifery or gynecology, at a big salary, but can not afford to give up his large practice. He will, however, deliver a course of lectures during each term.

W. H. MCROBERTS is sole agent for Landreth's garden seeds.

LATEST designs in crepe paper just received at Craig & Hocker's.

WANTED.—Highest market price for fresh, yellow Butter, Eggs, Meat, &c. Warren & Shanks.

OUR CUSTOMERS—Tell us we are selling black crepons 25¢ on the yard less than they see them anywhere else. Severance & Sons.

THIS fiscal court is convening to lay the county taxes as we go to press, with Judge Bailey and Squires J. A. Singleton, W. D. Wallin, W. A. Coffey and J. H. Raines present. Judge Bailey tells us he hopes to be able to cut off 24 cents, making \$1 in all, State and county.

THE Centre College Glee Club, which has made much reputation as a musical organization, will give an entertainment April 14 at Hustonville for the benefit of the Presbyterian church. The admission is only 25¢ and for that small sum you can enjoy good music and help a good cause besides.

ATTEMPTED RAPE.—Deputy Sheriff W. L. Wood arrested near Maywood Saturday night and lodged in jail here. George Howard, charged with attempting rape on Victoria Mullins, both colored. He is said to have knocked the girl down, when her screams brought assistance and he ran off. Trial next Saturday.

LUNSFORD.—Rev. R. B. Mahony preached the funeral sermon of Mrs. Martha Lunsford, wife of John Lunsford, of Preachersville, who died Sunday of pneumonia, aged about 50. She was a most excellent woman of unusual intelligence and great piety. Besides her husband, she leaves 10 children to suffer her loss. The remains were interred in the old Pennington burying ground yesterday.

OUR GIRLS IN CAMP.—The music and elocution pupils of Stanford Female College will give this beautiful little comedy of three acts at Walton's Opera House Thursday night, 6th, under the direction of Misses Ellen and Flora Hallion, the teachers of these departments. During the acts there will be many vocal and instrumental numbers in which the best pupils will take part. Admission 25 and 35¢.

HAGBY.—We regret that our young friend, W. V. Richardson, could not read his title clear for representative of Boyle. The delegate vote stood 14 for him to 11 for Minor and continued so till adjournment yesterday afternoon to a night session. Then, Editor Harry Tilovannoli telephoned us this morning, C. C. Hagby, Esq., a young attorney and protege of Hon. John W. Verkes, was nominated. After the 2nd ballot last night, and the dead-lock continuing, Mr. Richardson arose and said he would withdraw, if Mr. Minor would. That gentleman agreed to it and then T. P. Reed and Mr. Hagby were put in nomination, the latter securing a majority on the 3d ballot. The solution of the matter seems to give general satisfaction, our informant says, as Mr. Hagby is a splendid young man, well qualified and a good democrat.

SOUTHERN R. R.—The Courier-Journal of yesterday says: "Active steps are being taken to have the Southern railway extended from Burgettstown to Middlesboro or Jellico. A meeting of the board of trade of Louisville and the commercial clubs of Louisville, Harrodsburg, Lancaster, Middlesboro and Manchester will be held in this city Wednesday in regard to the proposed extension. It is believed by many that the extension is a certainty, and that engineers will be at work in June making their final survey for the line." Stanford ought to take a hand in this. Mr. J. E. Brumley says he will give \$50 toward the right of way through the county and others of us are even more anxious to secure the extension.

A glance at the map will show that Stanford is on an absolutely straight line for the extension and as every one we have talked with will either give the right-of-way or money to pay for it, we hope steps will be taken to put in a bid. It can do no harm and might be worth millions to us.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.—The boiler of Vest & Johnson's saw mill seven miles from Kingsville blew up Friday, and as a result a boy, young Carman, who happened to be there, is dead and Sam Sweeney, who was a member of Capt. Penny's Co., is terribly wounded. It seems that Harlan Camden, a green youth, who was engaged as engineer, had had some trouble in keeping up steam and in order to "hold her down," as he said, chain'd the lever of the safety valve down, remarking, "I've fixed her so she will hold now." One of the men looked and saw that already 140 pounds showed, whereas 100 to 110 had been the maximum. In a few seconds the explosion came, tearing out the end of the boiler and fearfully scalding the boy mentioned above, who, although almost completely roasted, lived for 48 hours. Sweeney was also badly scalded and struck in the side, besides being injured internally. It is said that if he recovers he will be minus one ear. The irony of fate was shown in the fact that Engineer Carman, who was standing by the boiler, was not injured in the least. The property loss is about \$250.

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NO better time than now to buy. Enormous advances in the East will come here later. Severance & Sons.

THE U. S. supreme court delivered a decision yesterday knocking out the banks of Kentucky in their suit to maintain the Hewitt law, and they will be taxed on another property.

## LAND AND STOCK.

G. A. Swinebroad sold to James Hyatt a mule for \$100.

W. M. Matheny has bought a lot of hogs recently at 3¢.

At G. W. Harman's sale in Washington county sold at \$2.

Butcher cattle are selling at 24 to 3¢ in Somerset, says the Journal.

Pair of good work mules for \$1. W. B. Daughman, Stanford, Ky.

Next Monday is horse show day here. Saturday is show day at Hustonville.

Bowman Turbine has bought in this county 90,000 pounds of tobacco at 7¢.

Good second-hand Deering Binder for sale cheap. M. S. Haughman, Stanford.

Mrs. Jack Chinny sold 25 headhogs of tobacco in Louisville at 7½ to 10¢ a pound.

Twenty Meddler yearlings, belonging to W. C. Whitney, have arrived at Lexington.

William Dodd, of Hustonville, sold to Agnew, of Philadelphia, a harness gelding for \$180.

A sale of 11,000 cattle was made at Fort Worth, Texas, for shipment to Nebraska at \$18.

Cheerleaders are already being shipped from California to the East, two weeks earlier than last year.

W. C. Whitney bought of John E. Madden the imported brood mare, Maori, and two fine yearlings for \$20,000.

M. S. Haughman will have a number of Naboth's get handled this year and a good horseman would do well to write to him.

The Houses of Reform at Lexington bought a pair of mules for \$160, a pair of horses for the same amount and two cows at \$20.

Reuben Gentry, who now manages the hog department on Vanderbilt's North Carolina farm, is known as "Pig Expert Gentry."

R. Cobb, Jr., of Boyle, weighed his premium three-year-old hornless bull the other day. The big fellow tipped the beam at 2,100.

Two sows and 18 pigs, one sow with pigs, two boars, three good milk cows, some hay, a horse, etc., for sale. Mark Hardin, Stanford.

J. T. Veatch sold 40 of the best calves that have left this county for some time to Mr. Delaney, of Clark county, at \$25—*Jessamine Journal.*

The Louisville & Nashville has sold to a colony of Dunkards from Indiana a tract of 7,000 acres of farming land in the vicinity of Athens, Limestone county, Ala.

James P. Harper, of the West End, did so well with a car-load of hogs at Salisbury, N. C., that his partner, J. W. Powell, started with a load to that place on his return.

J. C. Hays, of Crab Orchard, sold to D. P. Perkins 40 calves at \$17; to Griggs, of Garrard, six yearling steers at \$19 and to another party 16 yearling steers at \$25. He also sold 52 125-pound hogs at \$16.

Frank Vaughn sold a pair of mules 15 hands high, to Danville parties at \$150; also a sow and three pigs to J. K. Haughman, of Hustonville, for \$25. C. R. Vanmeter sold to a Boston party his well-known horse, Temple Wilkes, for \$1,050—*Lebanon Enterprise.*

E. W. Lee, who returned from Atlanta Saturday, says that fewer mules were sold in the South this winter than for several years. This was due to the very low price of cotton. The price was so low, in fact, that much cotton was actually not gathered.—*Advocate.*

Less corn will be put in this spring than for years, partly because of the wet weather and partly because of the determination of

